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Dore Schwinden
Director
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RE: Montana Department of Commerce Energy Promotion and Development Division

Dear Director Schwinden:

I am a professional engineer who is developing the 13 MW Turnbull Hydroelectric project near Fairfield, Montana. The project involves utilizing two existing irrigation drop structures on the Greenfield Irrigation canal system to generate power during the irrigation season. The project will not divert any water from existing irrigation uses and will extract energy that currently is not utilized.

I am happy to report that as of this writing the project is more that 30% constructed and we hope to have it in operation in the spring of 2011. Developing this project has had its challenges and the Montana Department of Commerce Energy Promotion and Development Division has been very instrumental in assisting us through some critical challenges, especially those dealing with the needed water rights. EPDD's guidance and counsel helped us identify a clear path to resolving our water rights issues that had the potential to delay and potentially kill the project.

With EPDD's help and with the constant support of the Governor's Office, the Turnbull Hydro electric generating project commenced construction on time this summer. This support was very important to the success of our project and we commend the state of Montana for doing all that it could do to support our project and make responsible energy development happen.

Sincerely,



Ted S. Sorenson P E,
President of Turnbull Hydro LLC Management